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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 4, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows and consider the appended remarks:

1. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims on page 2 of this paper.
2. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.